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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Emmanuel KANTERAKIS, et al.

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AMENDMENT
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated June 5, 2002 Applicants have concurrently filed a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE). In this submission for purposes of the continuing examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please cancel claim 50, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Claims 47-49 should read as follows:

47. (Amended) A method of transferring packet data for a mobile station (MS) with an MS receiver and an MS transmitter, comprising:

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- receiving at the MS receiver a broadcast common channel from a base station;
 - determining a plurality of parameters required for transmission to the base station;
 - spreading an access preamble selected from a set of predefined preambles;